

# Lighting the Classroom of the Future



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## DRIVING FORCES

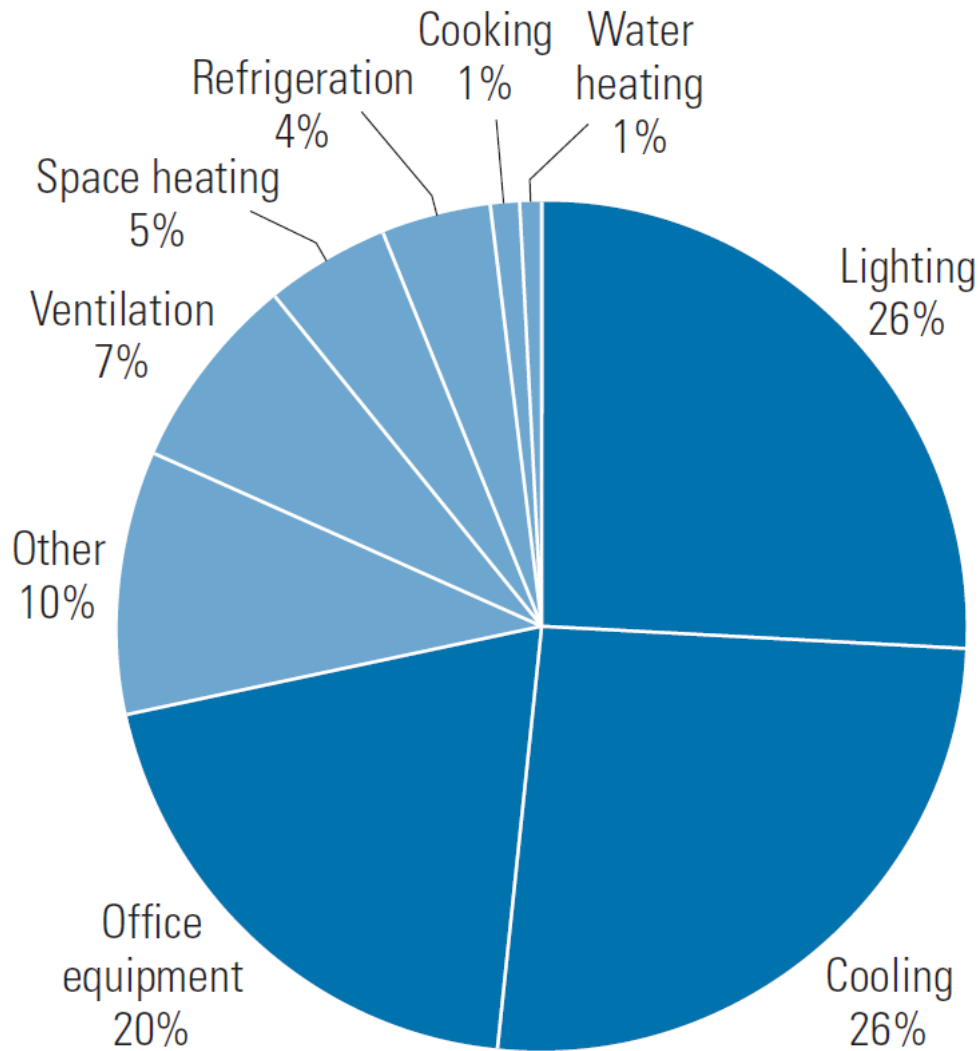
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*How can lighting respond to these forces?*



# Typical K-12 School Electricity Use



Nationally **16 GWh** per year for classrooms!

**85% Linear Fluorescent**  
**10% Compact Fluorescent**  
2010 Lighting Market Characterization, US DOE

Schools spent **\$130/student** for electricity in 2005.  
2006 Energy Star Building Manual 10, K-12 Schools

Energy Information Administration, CBECS, **1999 and 2003 data**

That's enough to hire  
35,845  
new teachers.<sup>12</sup>

Energy improvements could **save**  
**\$2<sup>25%</sup>**, or  
**\$2B NATIONALLY**<sup>11</sup>

Energy costs in K-12 schools  
total approximately \$8 billion  
annually nationwide<sup>10</sup>,

PERSONNEL COSTS



ENERGY COSTS



the **second highest expenditure**  
after personnel costs.<sup>11</sup>



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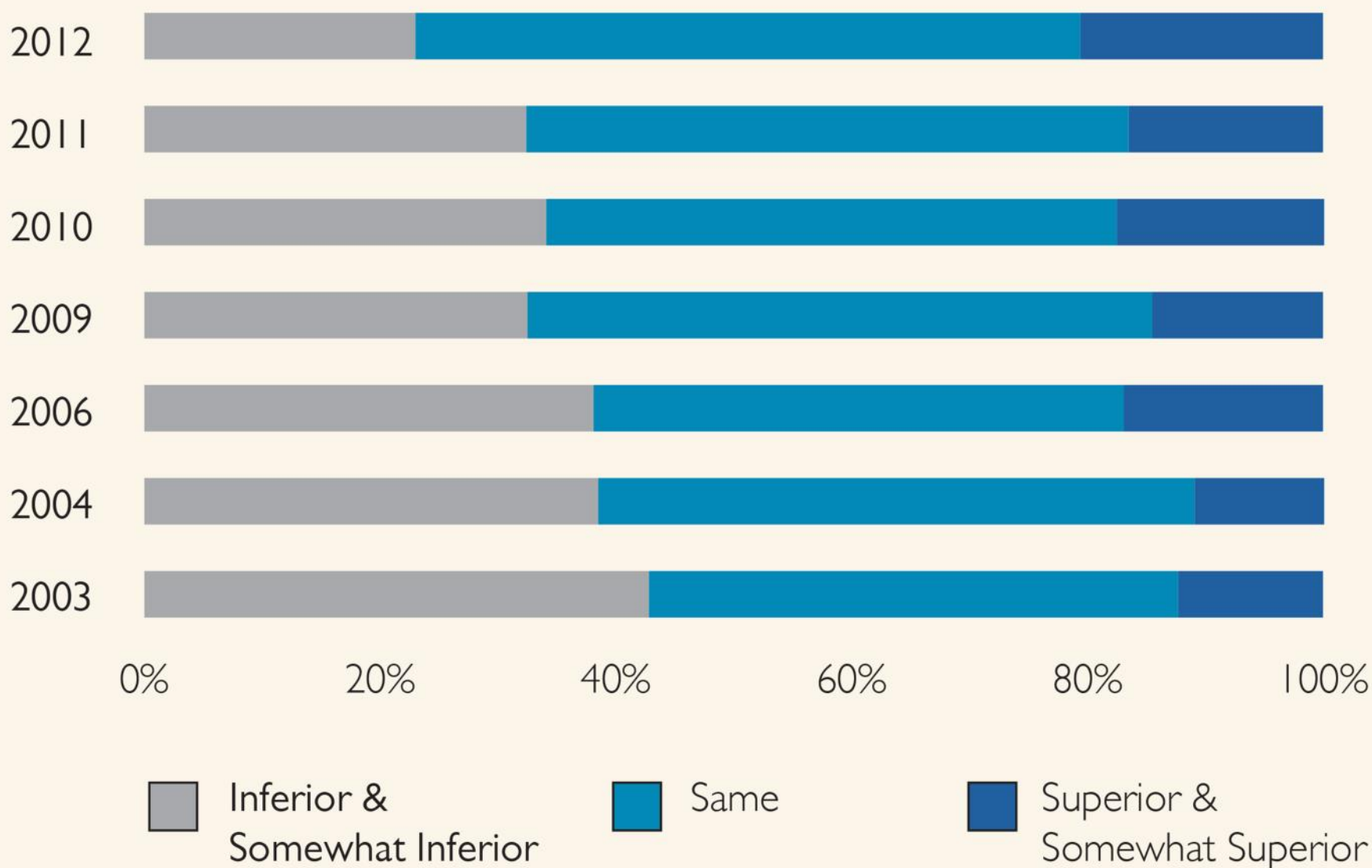


# Trends Affecting Classroom Lighting

***Trend 11: Technology Becomes the Future: The Future Becomes Technology***

***Trend 15: By Necessity Learning Evolves to an Asynchronous and Ubiquitous Process***

## Academic leaders' perceptions of learning outcomes in online education compared to face-to-face



# OSU Classroom Building







# OSU Webcams - Classroom Building

## Classroom Building

Classroom Bldg 2014-06-04 17:36:15



If video image does not work, [view the static image](#)

## About

OSU's newest classroom building will be a four-story, technology-rich learning environment, hosting over 2000 classroom seats in state-of-the-art classrooms including arena- and parliament-style lecture halls. The building will be home to the Integrated Instructional Resource Center (IIRC), [Media Services](#), and the [University Honors College](#) (UHC), and will otherwise be open for use by all departments on campus.

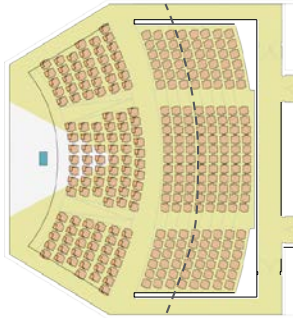
[Construction Time Lapse](#)

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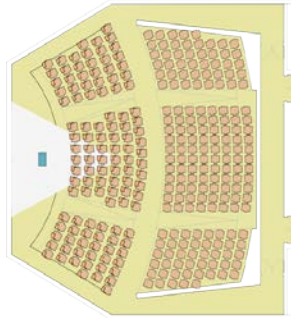
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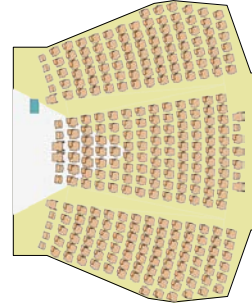
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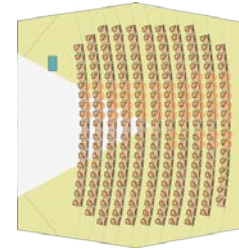
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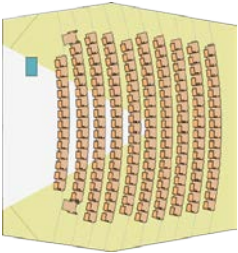
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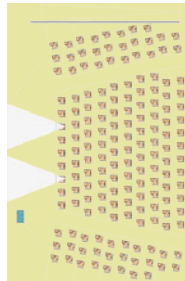
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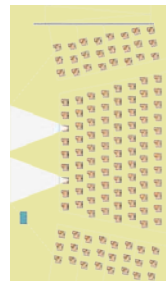
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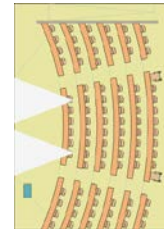
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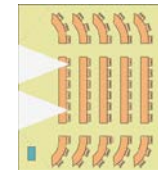
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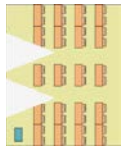
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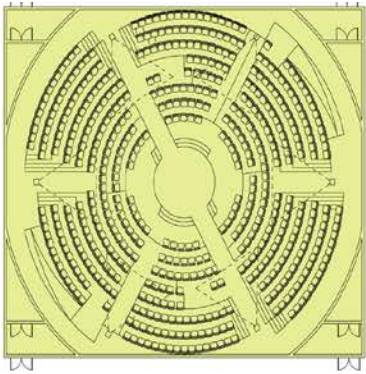
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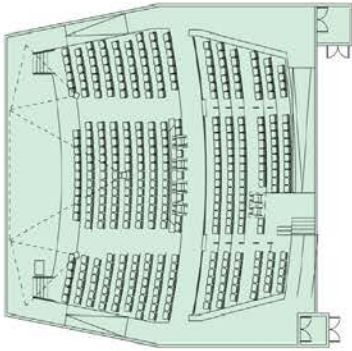
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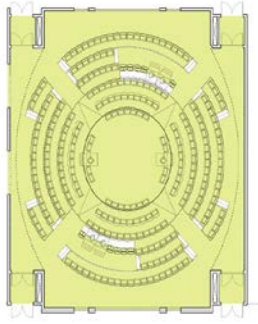
**BUILDING PROGRAM — FORMAL LEARNING PROGRAM**



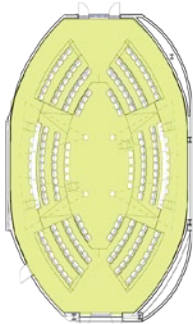
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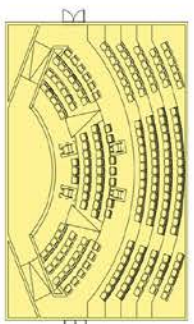
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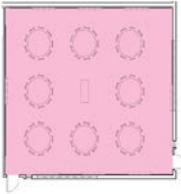
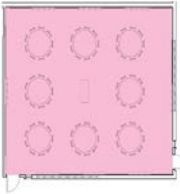
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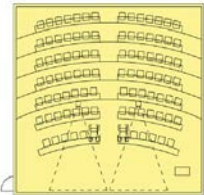
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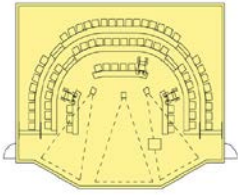
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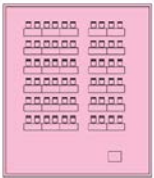
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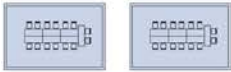
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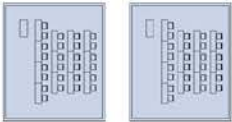
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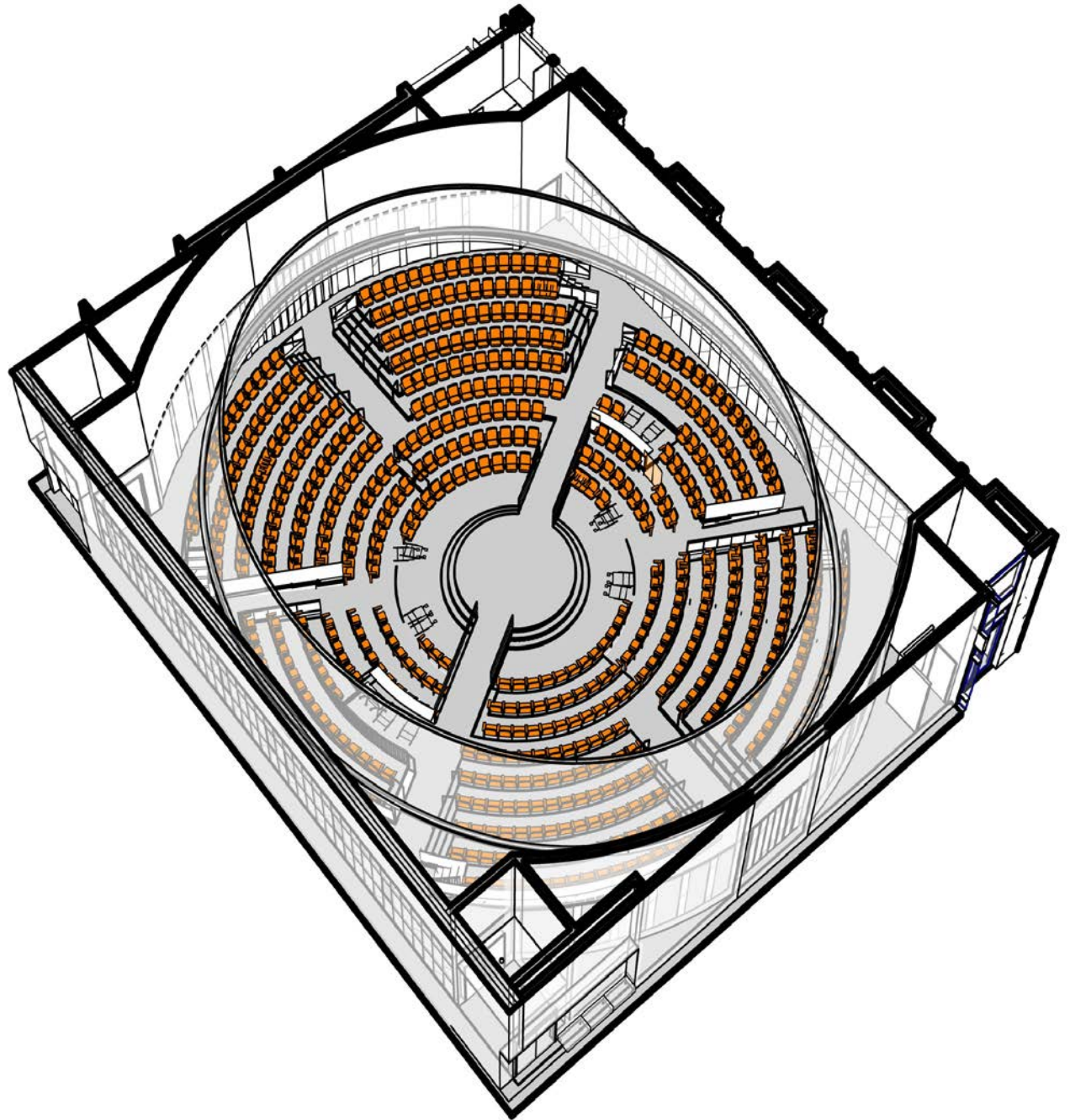
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**2145-2270 Classroom Seats**

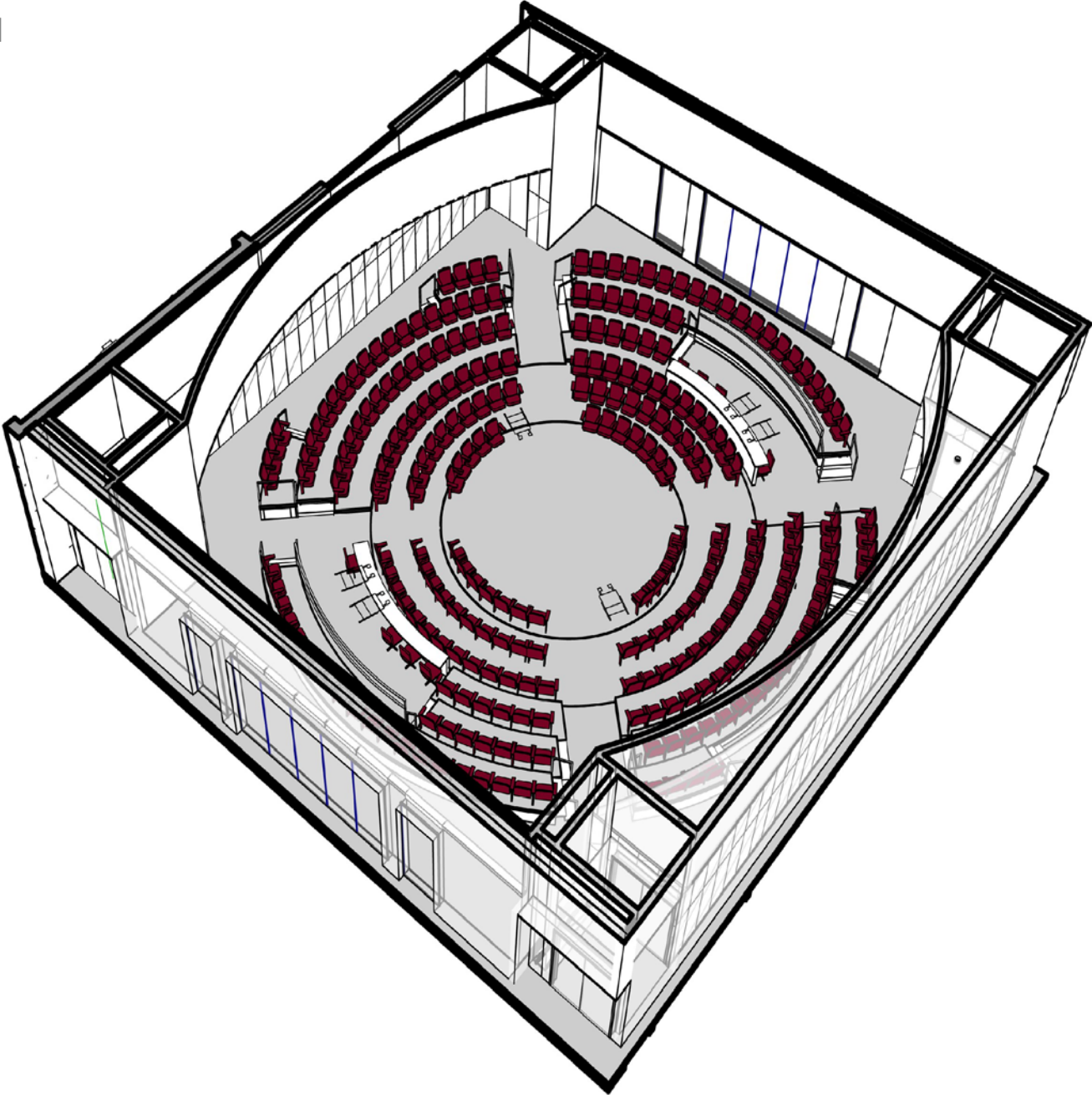
**Integrated Instructional Resource Center  
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**University Honors College Offices and Study  
Lounges**

# ARENA CLASSROOM

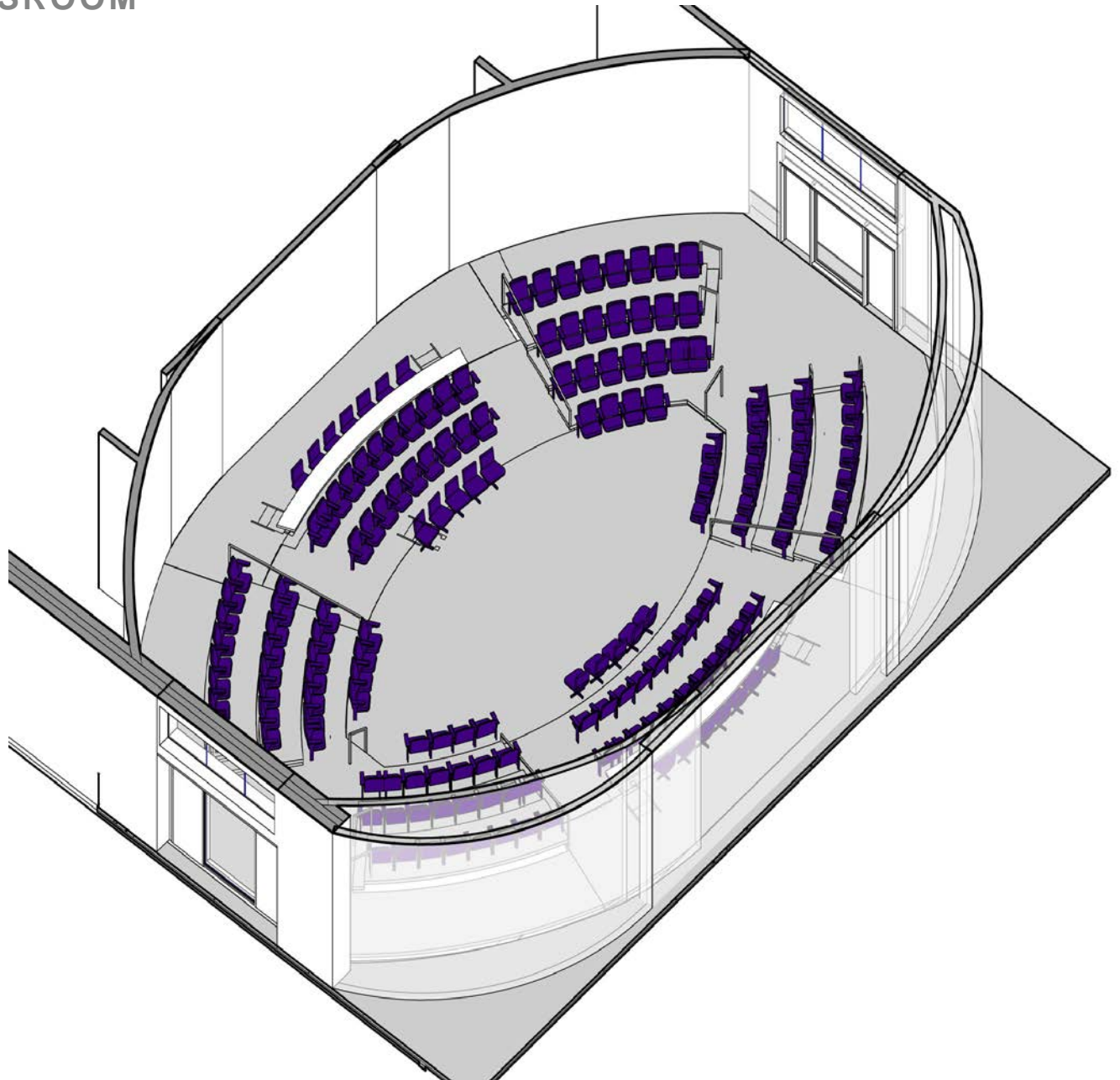


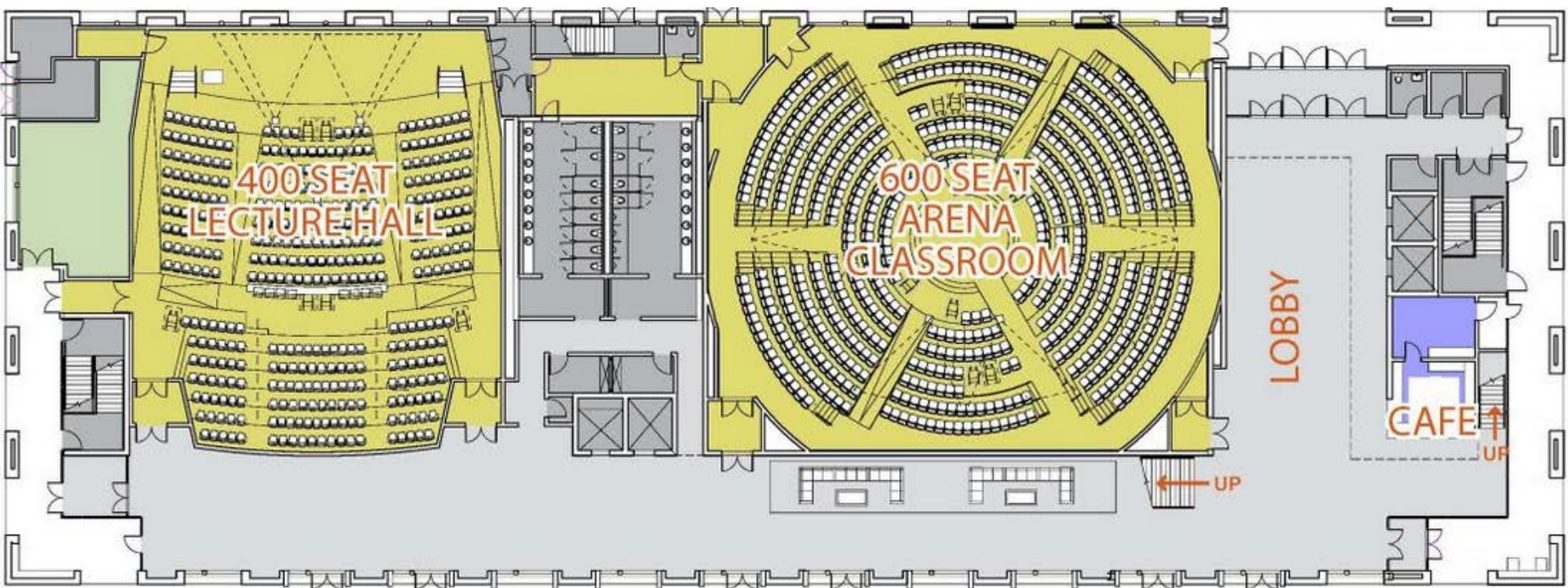
SMALL ARENA  
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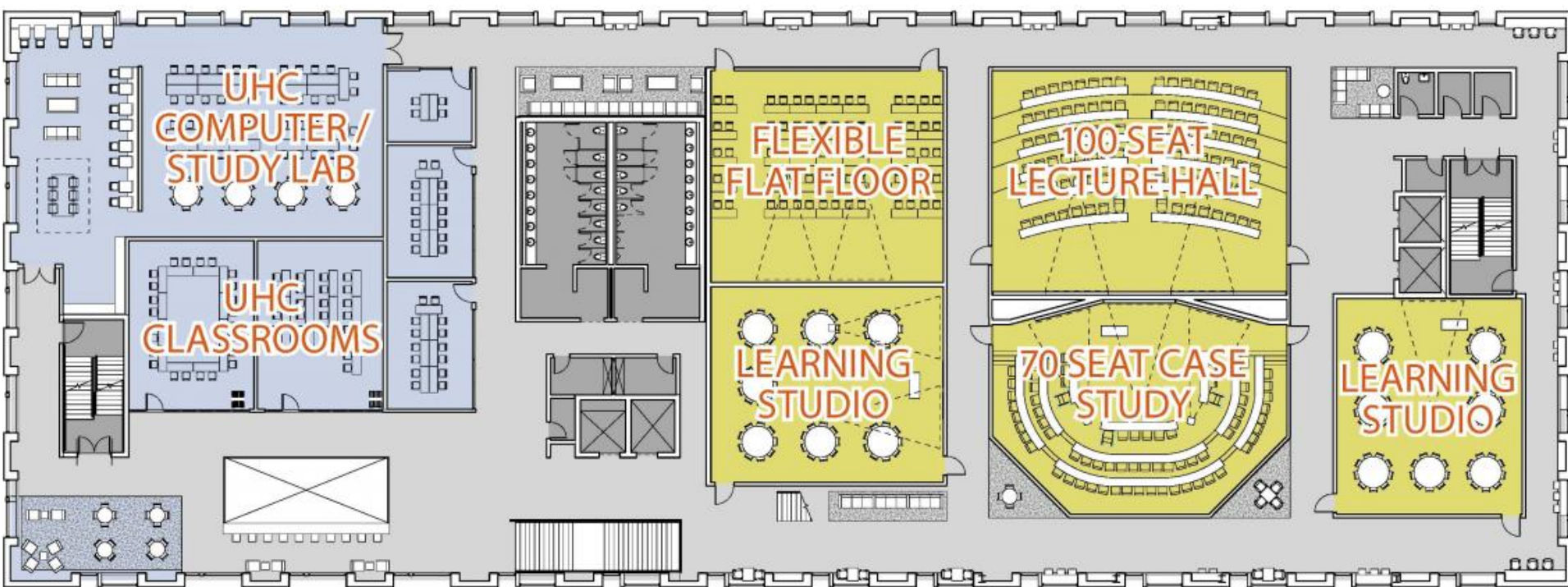




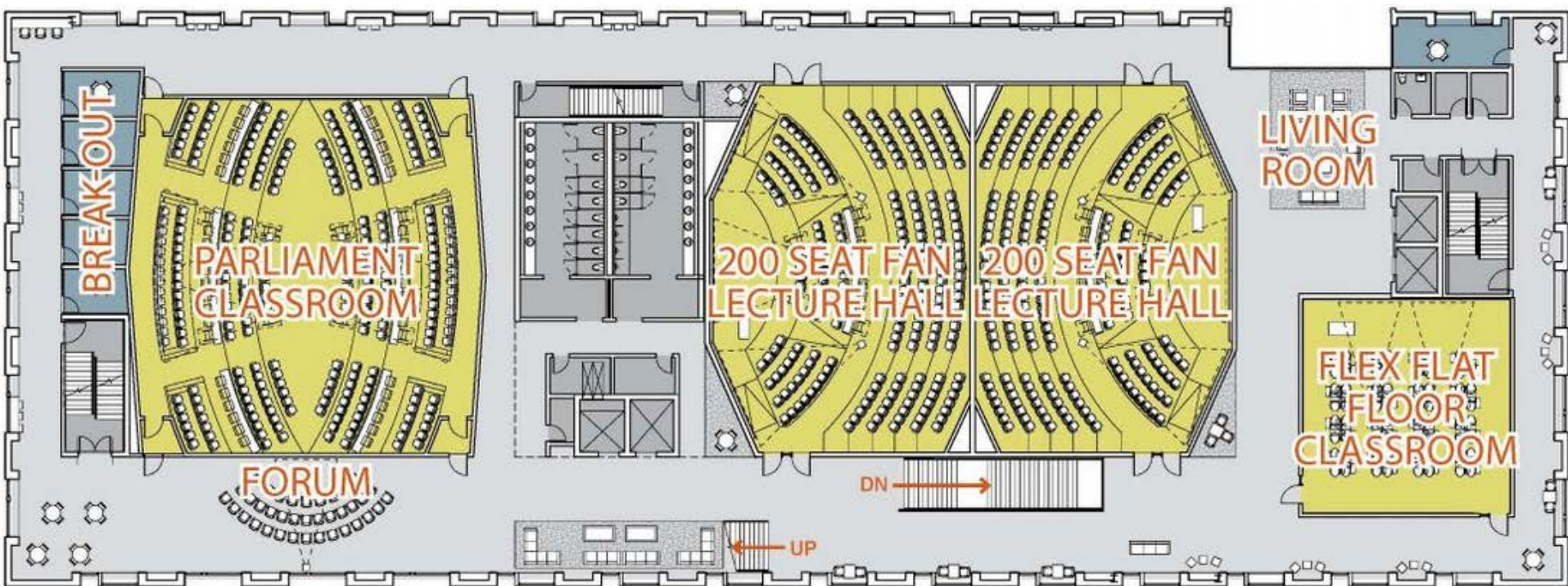
# PARLIAMENT CLASSROOM











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a future classroom . . .

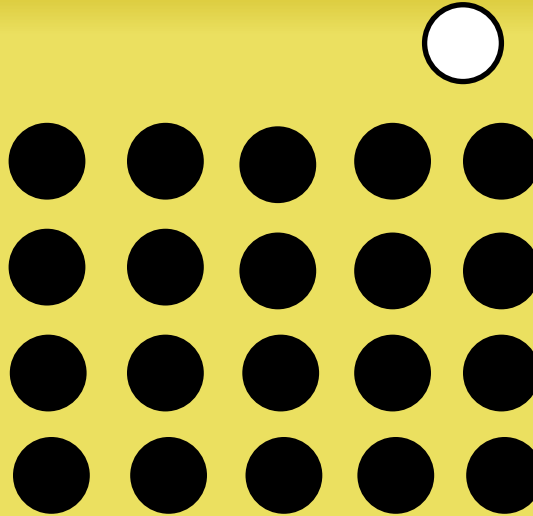


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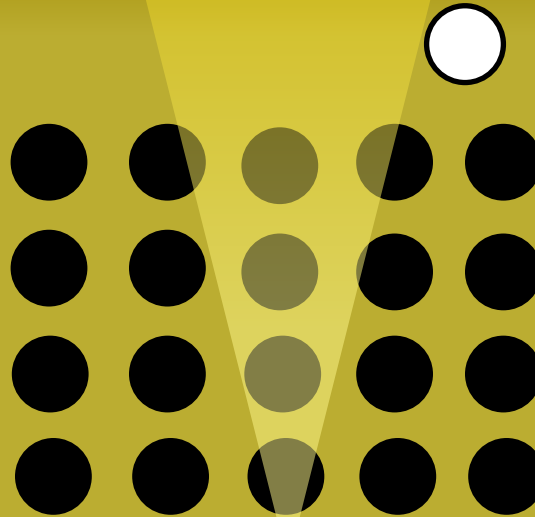
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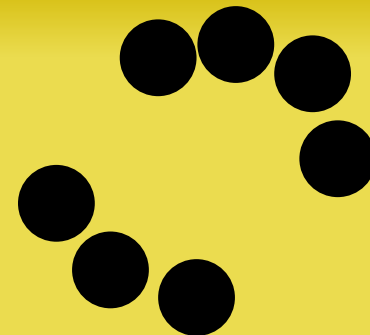
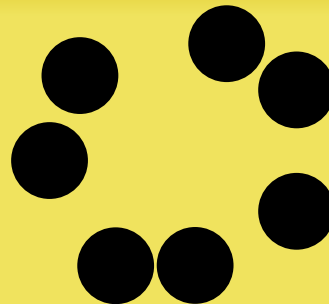
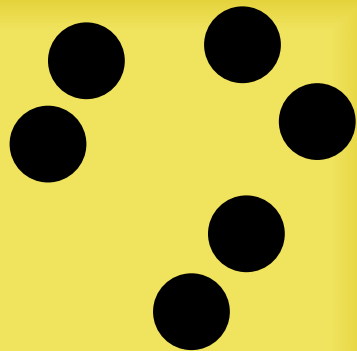
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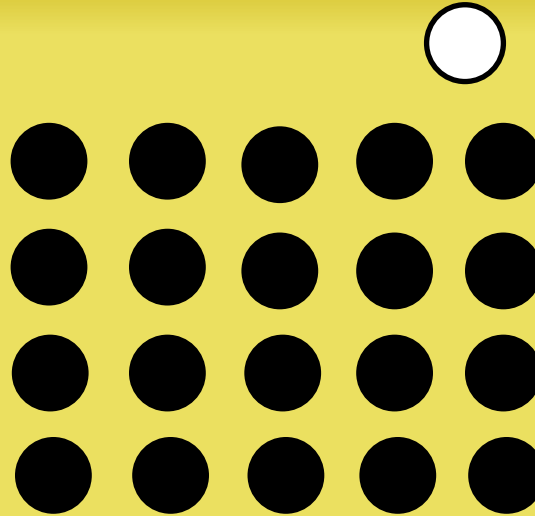


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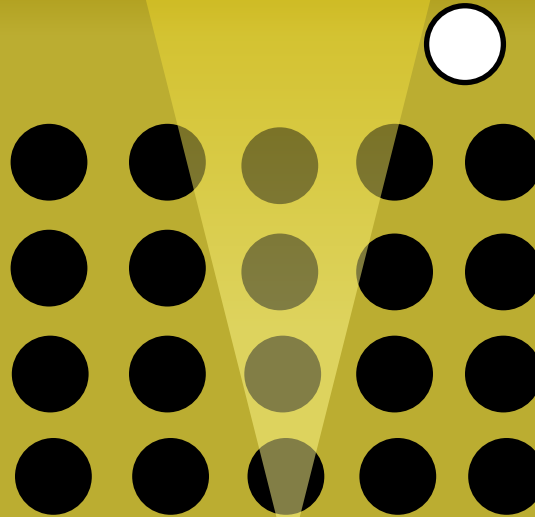




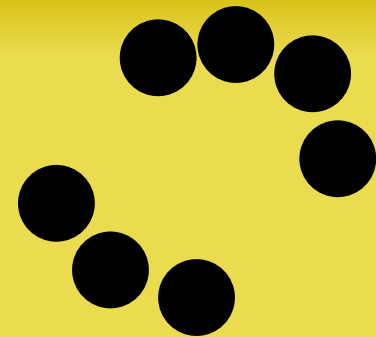
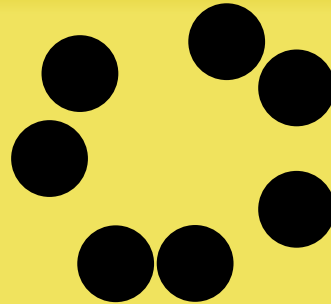
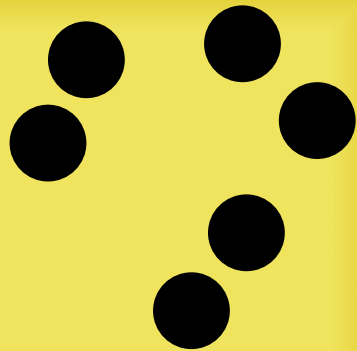
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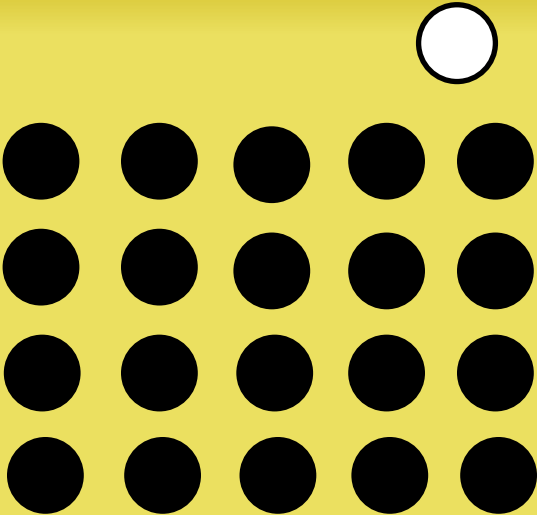
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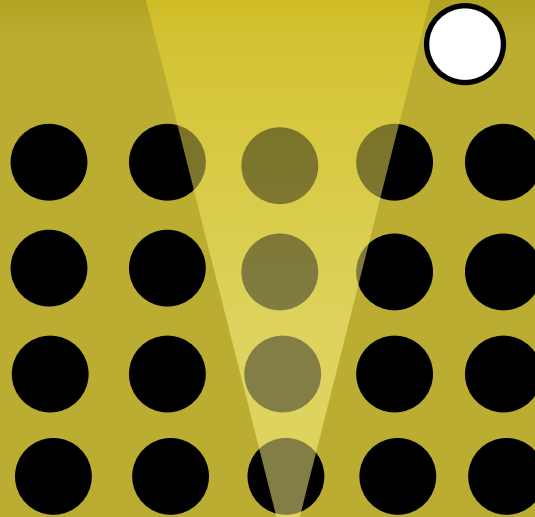
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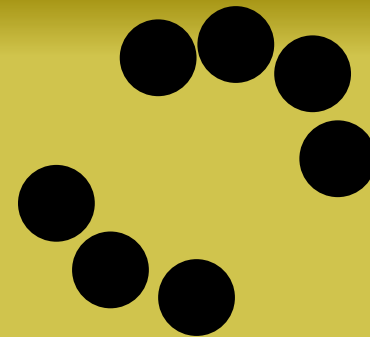
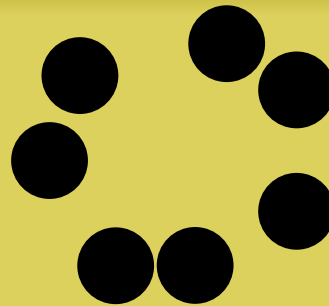
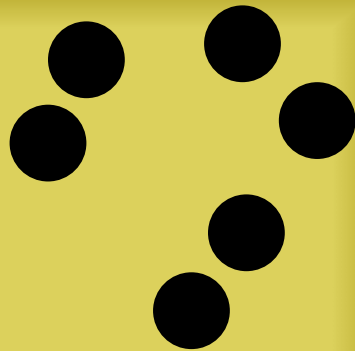


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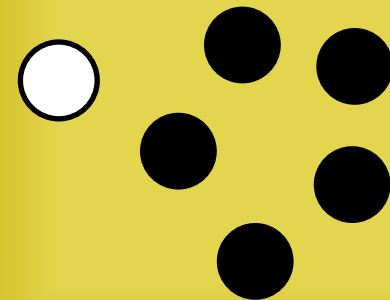
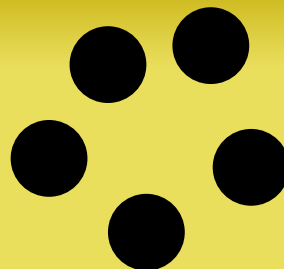
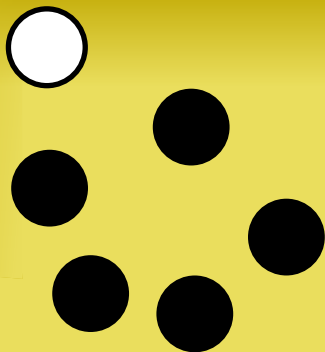
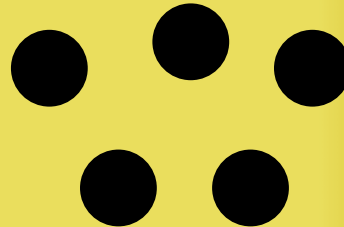


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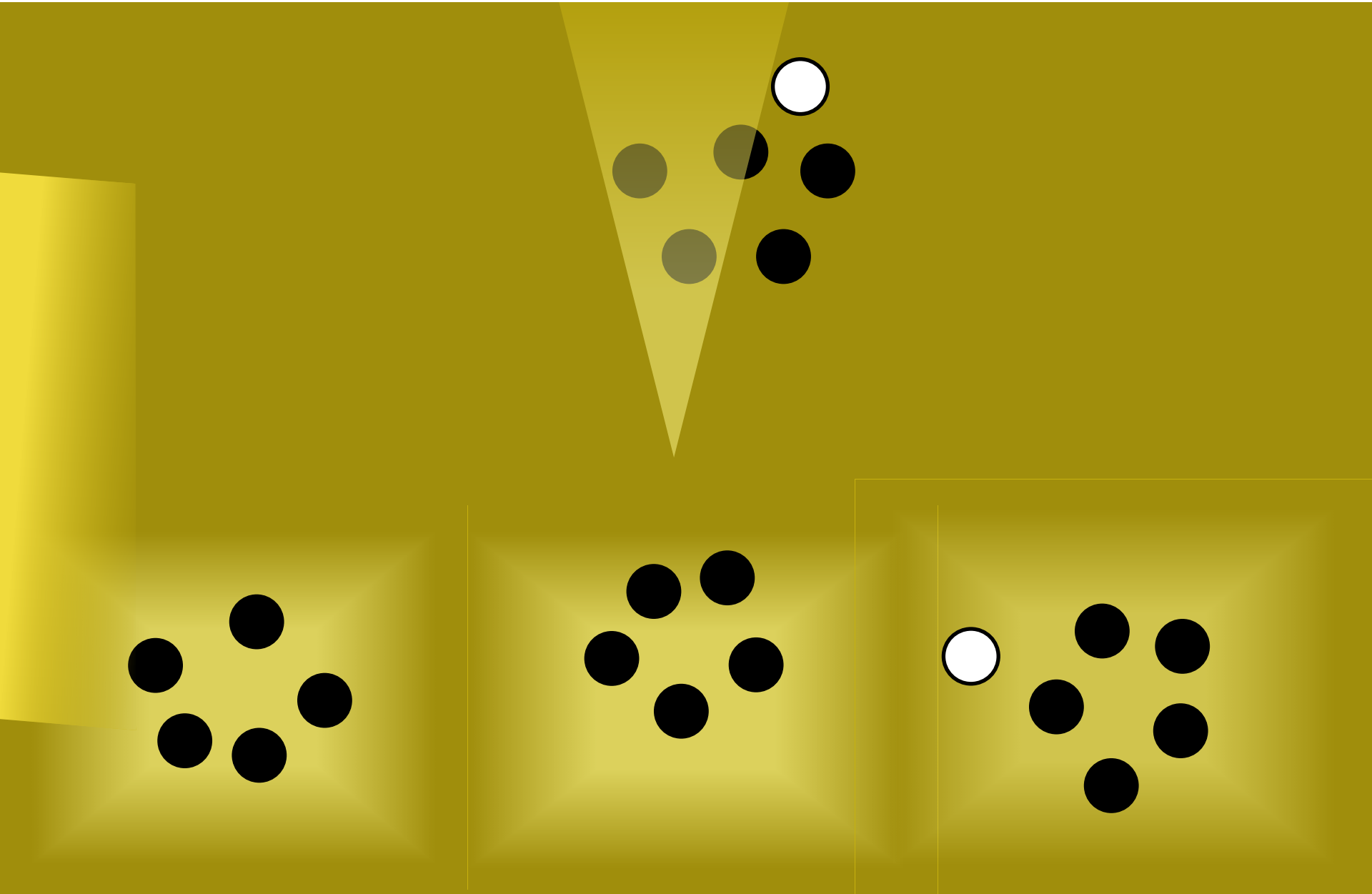
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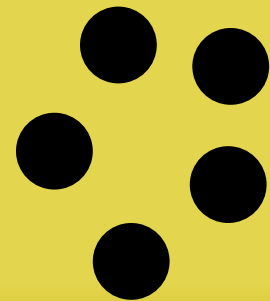
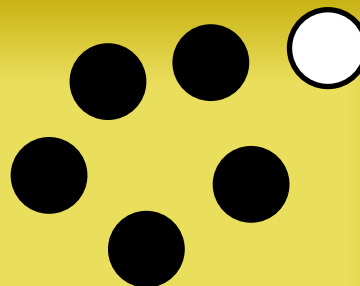
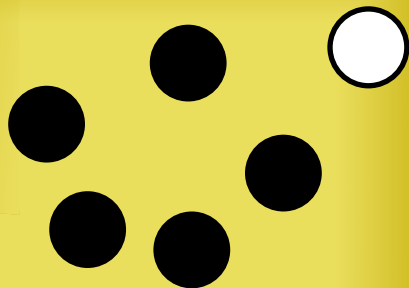
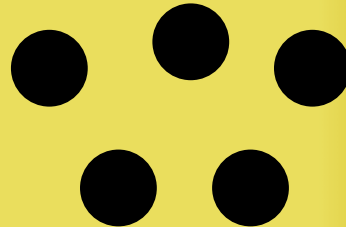
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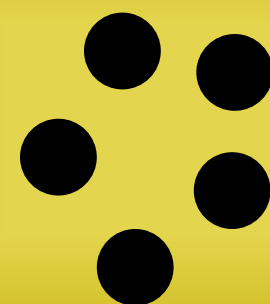
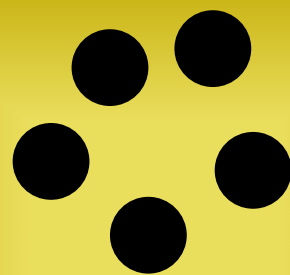
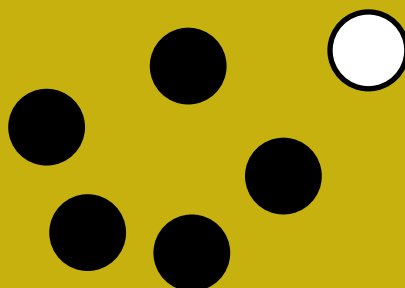
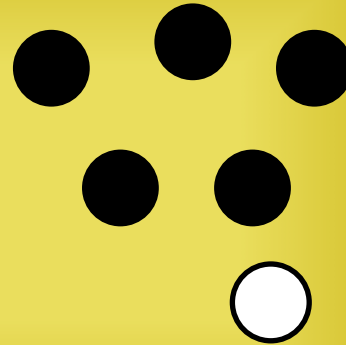
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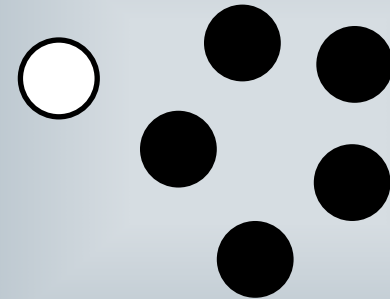
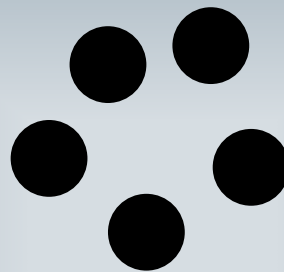
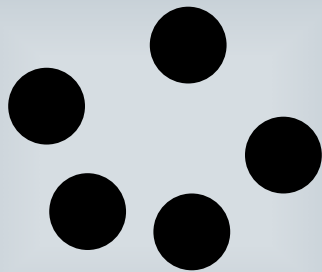
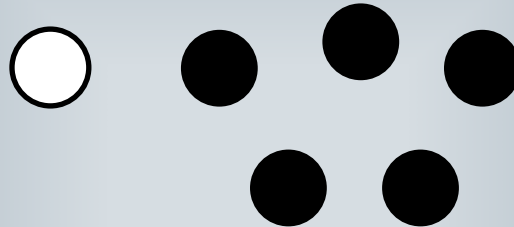


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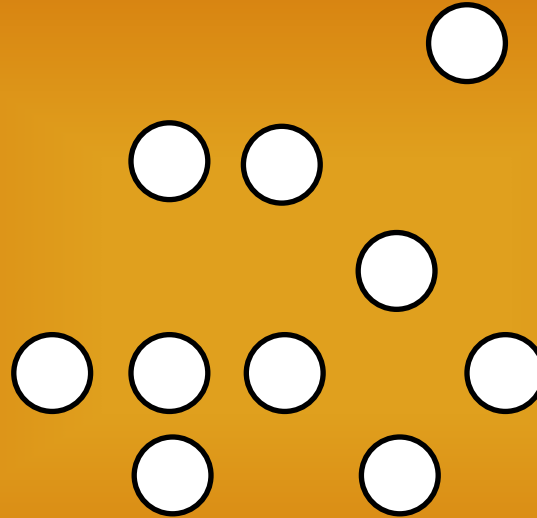


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LECTURE	TEAM-1	TEAM-2	TEAM-3	PROJECTION AREA
500	100	100	100	150



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We need lighting systems where . . .

- . . . the lighting matches the task needs (horizontal & vertical)
- . . . the lighting matches the task areas
- . . . the lighting responds to daylight and occupancy patterns
- . . . the lighting color properties match user needs & preferences
- . . . the lighting adjustability is easily managed
- . . . the lighting quality supports desired behaviors
- . . . the lighting quality reinforces desired perceptions

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Credit: Lavalley | Brensinger Architects